

5 **Amendments to the Claims:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

10 **Listing of Claims:**

1. (Currently Amended) An enhancer device for enhancing the utility and look of a user's bed, the enhancer device comprising:

15 a pair of support members, each the support member having a base end and a distal end;

two a fasteners, each connected with the distal end of a the support member,

20 two support member securing mechanisms for attaching with the support members and securing the enhancer device with a user's bed; and

further comprising an attachment for connecting with at least one fastener;

 whereby using the support member securing mechanisms, a user may secure the enhancer device with a user's bed, allowing the user to thereafter connect ~~an~~ the attachment with the fastener ~~to support a body part and decorative items~~, thereby enhancing the utility and look of the user's bed.

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2. (Cancelled)

3. (Currently Amended) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 12, wherein each
30 ~~the~~ support member securing mechanism further includes an attachment portion and wherein the support member is detachably attached with the attachment portion.

4. (Currently Amended) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 3, wherein each
35 ~~the~~ support member is pivotally connected with a ~~the~~ support member securing mechanism, thereby allowing the support member to rotate in relation to a fixed support member securing mechanism.

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5. (Original) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 4, further comprising a stop mechanism attached with the enhancer device, whereby when the stop mechanism is utilized the support member is prevented from pivoting in relation to the support member securing mechanism.

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6. (Currently Amended) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 5, wherein the stop mechanism comprises a slot at the base end of each the support member and a projection projecting from each the attachment portion, the projection positioned such that it can mate with the slot, whereby when the projection mates with the slot, the support member is prevented from pivoting in relation to the support member securing mechanism.

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7. (Cancelled)

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8. (Currently Amended) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 67, wherein the attachment is an item selected from a group consisting of ~~a strap, a handle, a chain, a handcuff, a sling,~~ a candle holder, a light, and a plant holder.

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9. (Currently Amended) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 68, wherein the attachment is a handcuff, with a portion of the handcuff constructed of a material selected from a group consisting of metal, leather, fur, rope, plastic, nylon, composite, and fiber.

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10. (Currently Amended) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 69, wherein the attachment is a strap, with a portion of the strap constructed of a material selected from a group consisting of leather, fur, rope, plastic, nylon, composite, and fiber.

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11. (Currently Amended) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 610, wherein the attachment is an elongated strap and is connected with both of the fasteners ~~of a first enhancer device and with the fastener of a second enhancer device~~, thereby

5 allowing the elongated strap to be used as a seat and elevate a user above a bed's surface.

12. (Currently Amended) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 611,

10 further comprising a third support member, the third support member
having a base end and a distal end;
a third fastener connected with the distal end of the third support member,
a third support member securing mechanism attached with the third
support member;

15 wherein the attachment is a body sling with a plurality of attachment parts
for attaching with a plurality of the fasteners of a plurality of enhancer devices,
whereby utilization of the body sling allows a body of a user to be elevated above
a bed's surface.

13. (Currently Amended) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 12, wherein each
20 the support member is tubular; and

further comprising a fourth support member, the fourth support member
having a base end and a distal end;
a fourth fastener connected with the distal end of the fourth support
member;
25 a fourth support member securing mechanism attached with the fourth
support member;

wherein the third and fourth support members collectively form a second
pair of support members, such that the body sling can be connected between the
fasteners of both pairs of support members to effectively hold a user's body.

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14. (Currently Amended) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 13, wherein each
the support member is constructed of a material selected from a group consisting
of metal, plastic, nylon, composite, and fiber.

5 15. (Currently Amended) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 14, wherein each
the support member includes an arcuate section terminating at the distal end, the
arcuate section is shaped such that it appears as half of a simple heart shape,
whereby when two support members ~~enhancer devices~~ are placed together, their a
combination ~~of their support members~~ forms a full heart shape.

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16. (Currently Amended) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 15, wherein each
the support member securing mechanism is substantially flat, allowing each the
support member securing mechanism to be placed between a mattress and a box
spring, thereby securing the enhancer device with a user's bed.

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17. (Currently Amended) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 16, further
comprising an adjuster connected with each the support member, whereby a
height of the enhancer device can be selectively adjusted to accommodate
different sizes and heights of tables, mattresses and users.

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18. (Original) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 17, wherein the adjuster is a
mechanism selected from a group consisting of telescoping tubes and pin-adjusted
tubes.

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19. (Currently Amended) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 3, further
comprising a stop mechanism attached with the enhancer device, whereby when
the stop mechanism is utilized the support member is prevented from pivoting in
relation to the support member securing mechanism.

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20. (Currently Amended) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 19, wherein the
stop mechanism comprises a slot at the base end of each the support member and
a projection projecting from each the attachment portion, the projection
positioned such that it can mate with the slot, whereby when the projection mates
with the slot, the support member is prevented from pivoting in relation to the
support member securing mechanism.

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21. (Currently Amended) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 12, wherein each
the support member securing mechanism is substantially flat, allowing each the
support member securing mechanism to be placed between a mattress and a box
spring, thereby securing the enhancer device with a user's bed.

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22. (Cancelled)

23. (Currently Amended) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 122, wherein the
attachment is an item selected from a group consisting of ~~a strap, a handle, a~~
15 ~~chain, a handcuff, a sling,~~ a candle holder, a light, and a plant holder.

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24. (Currently Amended) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 122, wherein the
attachment is a handcuff, with a portion of the handcuff constructed of a material
selected from a group consisting of metal, leather, fur, rope, plastic, nylon,
20 composite, and fiber.

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25. (Currently Amended) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 122, wherein the
attachment is a strap, with a portion of the strap constructed of a material selected
from a group consisting of leather, fur, rope, plastic, nylon, composite, and fiber.

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26. (Currently Amended) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 122, wherein the
attachment is an elongated strap and is connected with both of the fasteners of a
~~first enhancer device and with the fastener of a second enhancer device~~, thereby
allowing the elongated strap to be used as a seat and elevate a user above a bed's
30 surface.

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27. (Currently Amended) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 122,
further comprising an additional support member, the additional support
member having a base end and a distal end;

5 an additional fastener connected with the distal end of the additional support member,

an additional support member securing mechanism attached with the additional support member;

10 wherein the attachment is a body sling with a plurality of attachment parts for attaching with a plurality of the fasteners of a plurality of enhancer devices, whereby utilization of the body sling allows a body of a user to be elevated above a bed's surface.

28. (Cancelled)

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29. (Original) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 1, wherein each the support member is tubular.

30. (Currently Amended) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 1, wherein each
20 the support member is constructed of a material selected from a group consisting of metal, plastic, nylon, composite, and fiber; and further comprising a second pair of support members, each of the second pair of support members having a base end and a distal end;

25 two additional fasteners, each connected with the distal end of one of the second pair of support members;

two additional support member securing mechanisms, each attached with one of the second pair of support members, for securing the second pair of support members with a user's bed;

30 wherein the attachment is a body sling with a plurality of attachment parts for attaching with a plurality of fasteners, such that the body sling can be connected between the fasteners of both pairs of support members to effectively hold a user's body elevated above a bed's surface.

31. (Currently Amended) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 1, wherein each
35 the support member includes an arcuate section terminating at the distal end, the

5 arcuate section is shaped such that it appears as half of a simple heart shape,
whereby when two support members ~~enhancer devices~~ are placed together, their a
combination of ~~their support members~~ forms a full heart shape.

10 32. (Currently Amended) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 1, further
comprising an adjuster connected with each ~~the~~ support member, whereby a
height of the enhancer device can be selectively adjusted to accommodate
different sizes and heights of tables, mattresses and users.

15 33. (Original) An enhancer device as set forth in Claim 32, wherein the adjuster is a
mechanism selected from a group consisting of telescoping tubes and pin-adjusted
tubes.

20 34. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device, the kit comprising:
a pair of support members, each having a base end and a distal end;
two ~~a~~-fasteners, each configured to be connected with the distal end of a
the support member;
further comprising two support member securing mechanisms, each
configured to be attached with a support member, and wherein the support
member securing mechanisms aid in securing the enhancer device with a user's
25 bed;
further comprising an attachment configured to be connected with at least
one fastener;
whereby using both support member securing mechanisms, a user may
secure the enhancer device with a user's bed, ~~through the support member~~
30 ~~securing mechanism,~~ allowing the user to thereafter connect an ~~the~~ attachment
with at least one ~~the~~ fastener ~~to support a body part and decorative items,~~ thereby
enhancing the utility and look of the user's bed.

35 35. (Cancelled)

5 36. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim
3435, wherein each the support member securing mechanism further includes an
attachment portion, and wherein each the support member is configured such that
it is detachably attachable with the attachment portion.

10 37. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim
36, wherein each the support member is configured such that it may be pivotally
connected with the support member securing mechanism, thereby allowing the
support member to rotate in relation to a fixed support member securing
mechanism.

15 38. (Original) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim 37, further
comprising a stop mechanism attached with the enhancer device, whereby when
the stop mechanism is utilized the support member is prevented from pivoting in
relation to the support member securing mechanism.

20 39. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim
38, wherein the stop mechanism comprises a slot at the base end of each the
support member and a projection projecting from each the attachment portion, the
projection positioned such that it can mate with the slot, whereby when the
25 projection mates with the slot, the support member is prevented from pivoting in
relation to the support member securing mechanism.

40. (Cancelled)

30 41. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim
39 40, wherein the attachment is an item selected from a group consisting of a
~~strap, a handle, a chain, a handcuff, a sling,~~ a candle holder, a light, and a plant
holder.

5 42. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim 39-41, wherein the attachment is a handcuff, with a portion of the handcuff constructed of a material selected from a group consisting of metal, leather, fur, rope, plastic, nylon, composite, and fiber.

10 43. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim 39-42, wherein the attachment is a strap, with a portion of the strap constructed of a material selected from a group consisting of leather, fur, rope, plastic, nylon, composite, and fiber.

15 44. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim 39-43, wherein the attachment is an elongated strap and is configured to be connected with both of the fasteners ~~of a first enhancer device and with the fastener of a second enhancer device~~, thereby allowing the elongated strap to be used as a seat and elevate a user above a bed's surface.

20 45. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim 39-44, further comprising:

a third support member, the third support member having a base end and a distal end;

25 a third fastener connected with the distal end of the third support member,
a third support member securing mechanism configured to be attached
with the third support member; and

wherein the attachment is a body sling with a plurality of attachment parts for attaching with a plurality of the fasteners ~~of a plurality of enhancer devices~~,
30 whereby utilization of the body sling allows a body of a user to be elevated above a bed's surface.

46. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim 45, wherein each ~~the~~ support member is tubular; and

5 further comprising a fourth support member, the fourth support member having a base end and a distal end;

a fourth fastener connected with the distal end of the fourth support member,

a fourth support member securing mechanism attached with the fourth support member;

wherein the third and fourth support members collectively form a second pair of support members, such that the body sling can be connected between the fasteners of both pairs of support members to effectively hold a user's body.

15 47. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim 46, wherein each ~~the~~ support member is constructed of a material selected from a group consisting of metal, plastic, nylon, composite, and fiber.

20 48. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim 47, wherein each ~~the~~ support member includes an arcuate section terminating at the distal end, the arcuate section is shaped such that it appears as half of a simple heart shape, whereby when two support members ~~enhancer devices~~ are placed together, their ~~a combination of their support members~~ forms a full heart shape.

25 49. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim 48, wherein each ~~the~~ support member securing mechanism is substantially flat, allowing each ~~the~~ support member securing mechanism to be placed between a mattress and a box spring, thereby securing the enhancer device with a user's bed.

30 50. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim 49, further comprising an adjuster configured to be connected with each ~~the~~ support member, whereby a height of the enhancer device can be selectively adjusted to accommodate different sizes and heights of tables, mattresses and users.

5 51. (Original) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim 50, wherein
the adjuster is a mechanism selected from a group consisting of telescoping tubes
and pin-adjusted tubes.

10 52. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim
36~~35~~, further comprising a stop mechanism attached with the enhancer device,
whereby when the stop mechanism is utilized the support member is prevented
from pivoting in relation to the support member securing mechanism.

15 53. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim
52, wherein the stop mechanism comprises a slot at the base end of each ~~the~~
support member and a projection projecting from each ~~the~~ attachment portion, the
projection positioned such that it can mate with the slot, whereby when the
projection mates with the slot, the support member is prevented from pivoting in
relation to the support member securing mechanism.

20 54. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim
34 ~~35~~, wherein each ~~the~~ support member securing mechanism is substantially flat,
allowing each ~~the~~ support member securing mechanism to be placed between a
mattress and a box spring, thereby securing the enhancer device with a user's bed.

25 55. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim
34 ~~35~~, wherein each ~~the~~ support member is configured to be pivotally connected
with a ~~the~~ support member securing mechanism, thereby allowing the support
member to rotate in relation to a fixed support member securing mechanism.

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56. (Cancelled)

57. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim
34 ~~56~~, wherein the attachment is an item selected from a group consisting of a

5 ~~strap, a handle, a chain, a handcuff, a sling,~~ a candle holder, a light, and a plant holder.

58. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim
10 34 56, wherein the attachment is a handcuff, with a portion of the handcuff
constructed of a material selected from a group consisting of metal, leather, fur,
rope, plastic, nylon, composite, and fiber.

59. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim
15 34 56, wherein the attachment is a strap, with a portion of the strap constructed of
a material selected from a group consisting of leather, fur, rope, plastic, nylon,
composite, and fiber.

60. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim
20 34 56, wherein the attachment is an elongated strap and is connected with both of
the fasteners ~~of a first enhancer device and with the fastener of a second enhancer~~
~~device~~, thereby allowing the elongated strap to be used as a seat and elevate a user
above a bed's surface.

61. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim
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further comprising an additional support member, the additional support
member having a base end and a distal end;

an additional fastener connected with the distal end of the additional
support member;

30 an additional support member securing mechanism attached with the
additional support member;

 wherein the attachment is a body sling with a plurality of attachment parts
for attaching with a plurality of the fasteners ~~of a plurality of enhancer devices~~,
whereby utilization of the body sling allows a body of a user to be elevated above
35 a bed's surface.

62. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim 34, wherein each the support member is tubular.

63. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim 34, wherein each the support member is constructed of a material selected from a group consisting of metal, plastic, nylon, composite, and fiber; and further comprising

a second pair of support members, each of the second pair of support members having a base end and a distal end;

two additional fasteners, each connected with the distal end of one of the second pair of support members;

two additional support member securing mechanisms, each attached with one of the second pair of support members, for securing the second pair of support members with a user's bed;

wherein the attachment is a body sling with a plurality of attachment parts for attaching with a plurality of fasteners, such that the body sling can be connected between the fasteners of both pairs of support members to effectively hold a user's body elevated above a bed's surface.

64. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim 34, wherein each the support member includes an arcuate section terminating at the distal end, the arcuate section is shaped such that it appears as half of a simple heart shape, whereby when two support members ~~enhancer devices~~ are placed together, their ~~a combination of their support members~~ forms a full heart shape.

65. (Currently Amended) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim 34, further comprising an adjuster configured to be connected with each the support member, whereby a height of the enhancer device can be selectively

5 adjusted to accommodate different sizes and heights of tables, mattresses and users.

66. (Original) A kit for building an enhancer device as set forth in Claim 65, wherein the adjuster is a mechanism selected from a group consisting of telescoping tubes and pin-adjusted tubes.

67. (New) An enhancer device for enhancing the utility and look of a user's bed, the enhancer device comprising:

15 a pair of support members, each support member having a base end and a distal end;

two fasteners, each connected with the distal end of a support member,

two support member securing mechanisms, each attachable with a support member, for securing the enhancer device with a user's bed;

an attachment for connecting with both fasteners; and

20 wherein the attachment is an elongated strap and is connectable with both of the fasteners, thereby allowing the elongated strap to be used as a supporting surface to elevate a user above a bed's surface, whereby using both support member securing mechanisms, a user may secure the enhancer device with a user's bed, allowing the user to thereafter connect the attachment with the fasteners, thereby enhancing the utility and look of the user's bed.

68. (New) An enhancer device for enhancing the utility and look of a user's bed, the enhancer device comprising:

30 two pairs of support members, each support member having a base end and a distal end;

four fasteners, each connected with the distal end of a support member,

four support member securing mechanisms, each attachable with a support member, for securing the enhancer device with a user's bed;

an attachment for connecting with the fasteners; and

5 wherein the attachment is a body sling with a plurality of attachment parts
for attaching with a plurality of fasteners, such that the body sling can be
connected between the fasteners of both pairs of support members to effectively
hold a user's body elevated above a bed's surface, whereby using the support
member securing mechanisms, a user may secure the enhancer device with a
10 user's bed, allowing the user to thereafter connect the attachment with the
fasteners, thereby enhancing the utility and look of the user's bed.